# **Maine Retail Sales Quarterly Report**

THIRD QUARTER 2007

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Report based on Maine Revenue Service data as of 11/19/2007

#### INTRODUCTION

This report contains data on taxable Maine retail sales, as derived from state sales tax collections. The Maine State Planning Office uses data from Maine Revenue Services to produce this report.

These data represent sales, not the amount of tax revenue collected. Sales are categorized by the type of store in which they take place, not by the type of product sold. For example, sales of kitchen utensils at a supermarket appear under "food store sales" rather than "general merchandise."

"Consumer Retail Sales" are the sum of sales to the six store-type groups (building supply, general merchandise, etc.). "Total Retail Sales" are the sum of Consumer Retail Sales and "Business Operating Sales," a special category not published in these pages. "Business Operating Sales" include utility sales and heating oil sold to commercial and industrial establishments. Thus, Consumer Retail Sales more accurately describe what most people regard as retail sales.

When interpreting the tables in this report, readers should keep in mind that food intended for home consumption is not taxed in Maine. Data on food store sales reflect sales of non-food items. These items typically represent about 25% of actual total sales in food stores.

The Maine Revenue Service does not release sales data when the sales for a specific business can be identified. For each month data is witheld to protect taxpayer confidentiality, the corresponding previous or current month is also excluded from percentage calculation. If the sales in all months within a quarter are withheld, the percentage is marked by 'ND' for Non-Disclosure.

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## MAINE TAXABLE SALES (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

ECONOMIC		PEF	RCENT CHA	NGE FROM	I 3RD QUAF	TER 2006	TO 3RD QU	ARTER 20	07*	
SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	Total <u>Sales</u>	Consumer Sales	Bldg. <u>Supply</u>	Food Stores	General <u>Mdse.</u>	Other <u>Retail</u>	Auto <u>Stores</u>	Rest.& Lodging	Restau- <u>rants</u>	Lodging
STATE TOTAL	1.4	1.3	-1.1	4.8	2.4	-3.7	-0.3	5.0	4.3	6.3
FARMINGTON	4.1	4.8	17.4	-3.4	4.0	-6.2	7.0	2.8	2.8	3.0
LEWISTON	1.3	0.1	-5.4	6.3	6.0	-8.1	-0.8	3.7	2.8	11.7
LEWISTON SUB LIVERMORE	6.5 -3.0	8.4 -7.7	-7.1 -0.7	13.6 -0.2	10.1 -22.2	-7.9 -58.4	18.5 3.2	9.6 2.9	16.6 2.3	-9.1 16.9
PARIS	-6.6	-8.0	0.2	-5.4	-9.6	-48.5	-0.8	4.7	5.7	2.0
RANGELEY	8.1	6.5	-0.5	4.1	6.2	59.2	-9.0	0.5	-0.5	1.6
RUMFORD	-7.6	-5.4	-6.3	-0.1	14.1	-55.1	14.9	5.1	4.0	8.0
ANDROSCOGGIN	0.2	-0.5	-2.7	3.4	2.9	-18.9	1.5	4.0	3.9	4.3
PORTLAND	-1.4	-2.0	-2.8	11.2	-2.0	-18.9	-0.8	5.1	2.8	12.7
PORTLAND SUB SEBAGO LAKE	-1.7 -0.6	-1.9 -0.3	2.3 -6.3	6.6 4.6	-8.2 5.1	-1.7 1.9	-5.7 -1.6	3.7 -0.3	4.0 0.1	3.1 -1.0
CUMBERLAND	-0.6 -1.4		-0.3 -2.9	4.6 8.5	-3.3	-10.7	-1.0	3.8	2.7	6.9
BAR HARBOR	5.9	6.0	-10.6	11.9	-1.7	5.8	6.3	7.5	8.0	7.1
BLUE HILL	6.9	7.4	30.1	4.7	8.2	7.2	-0.5	-0.6	-3.2	2.5
CALAIS	2.1	2.6	4.8	7.0	0.8	1.0	2.7	3.6	3.2	4.2
EASTPORT	6.5	5.7	-1.0	7.2	-14.1	6.8	13.1	7.6	7.8	7.4
ELLSWORTH JONESPORT	-0.8	-0.9 -5.2	-0.9 -9.0	1.5 5.2	0.3	3.4	-9.3	5.9 7.8	3.0	13.8 11.9
MACHIAS	-3.2 3.5	-5.2 4.8	-9.0 2.6	0.3	-19.9 32.0	-33.7 0.5	-6.8 5.1	2.3	4.7 5.0	-11.2
EASTERN ME	2.7	2.8	0.8	4.9	0.7	4.1	-5.0	6.3	5.5	7.2
AUGUSTA	1.2	1.5	-2.2	-3.8	6.4	-4.4	1.6	3.6	3.3	5.2
JACKMAN	-3.6	-5.1	-18.5	-7.7	-1.5	117.6	-6.2	-1.6	-2.8	-0.7
PITTSFIELD	11.6	12.3	87.3	9.4	1.3	6.4	22.4	-6.8	-9.2	9.4
SKOWHEGAN	-3.3	-4.4	-8.1	3.6	-13.7	7.6	-6.8	7.2	7.5	5.0
WATERVILLE <b>KENNEBEC</b>	2.3 1.3	2.0 1.3	0.2 -0.2	7.3 1.2	1.2 2.1	-4.0 -2.7	1.7 1.1	6.0 4.1	5.4 3.8	8.2 5.4
BELFAST	-1.2	-0.8	-5.3	4.4	4.7	-0.8	-2.4	0.5	0.0	1.3
BRUNSWICK	6.6	6.9	1.7	9.8	15.4	15.3	1.6	4.3	3.4	7.0
CAMDEN	4.8	5.8	8.8	5.8	-0.6	2.5	-5.9	9.6	9.8	9.4
DAMARISCOTTA	0.9	1.2	-4.7	5.4	-2.5	4.3	-6.9	6.2	7.0	5.1
ROCKLAND	0.1	-0.2	-4.1	1.4	4.4	-2.9	-3.3	4.9	1.6	13.9
MID COAST	3.0	3.3	-1.3	5.9	8.8	5.2	-2.4	5.8	4.9	7.2
FORT KENT HOULTON	-3.1 6.9	-5.5 9.4	-12.5 14.6	4.8 6.0	-5.7 5.1	17.3 -1.4	-14.6 19.0	5.3 7.4	3.6 8.9	13.5 1.4
MADAWASKA	9.0		6.3	0.9	132.2	-0.3	3.4	-10.5	-9.7	-22.1
PATTEN	0.7		3.0	3.9	24.5	0.0	21.2	-22.4	-26.9	-6.8
PRESQUE ISLE	5.1	5.3	38.9	-5.5	-1.0	5.7	-1.0	5.2	6.0	1.1
NORTHERN ME	4.6	5.0	19.4	-1.0	3.2	4.5	1.5	2.6	2.8	1.3
BANGOR	-0.5		-4.5	8.4	4.5	-4.8	-5.1	7.4	6.2	12.2
BANGOR SUB	5.0		-11.7	6.2	-1.1	6.0	9.9	9.5	7.1	18.1
DOVER-FOXCROFT LINCOLN	1.3 -1.4		-0.9 -2.1	-0.3 4.8	5.0 0.1	1.4 -6.5	-3.9 -2.2	3.4 -2.0	3.9 -2.7	2.6 2.5
MILLINOCKET	-1.4 -5.7	-6.2	-19.2	-0.6	4.1	-16.8	-10.3	-0.5	-2.7 -5.6	7.9
WINTERPORT	13.6		7.5	13.1	2.5	4.4	6.1	-26.9	-27.9	-21.9
PENOBSCOT	0.6		-5.2	5.7	4.1	-3.2	-2.3	5.6	4.4	10.0
BIDDEFORD	-10.9		-4.0	-3.4	-2.2	-19.7	-11.8	-3.2	-5.2	0.6
FRYEBURG	-18.0		-15.4	-15.3	2.4	-25.0	-10.0	-5.1	-4.0	-6.8
KENNEBUNK	-15.4		-13.4	10.6	6.2	-17.9	-12.0	-9.5	-12.0	-5.5
KITTERY SANFORD	-11.4 -21.2	-11.2 -21.0	-20.9 -20.9	-1.0 -5.2	-3.9 -25.1	-19.6 -18.5	-8.9 -14.1	-4.4 -4.9	-7.6 -5.8	0.0 5.4
SOUTHERN ME	2.0		-0.7	3.9	7.3	-7.0	-6.9	5.4	5.6	5.2
OUT OF STATE	5.2	7.2	0.7	17.4	8.3	9.1	8.8	2.5	0.2	565.7

<sup>\*</sup> Percentages are only calculated when disclosure limits allow results to be reported in both the current and previous time periods.

ECONOMIC		YΕΔ	R-TO-DATE	2007 PFR	CENT CHAN	NGE FROM	SAME PER	IOD OF 20	06*	
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SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	Total Sales	Consumer Sales	Bldg. Supply	Food Stores	General Mdse.	Other Retail	Auto Stores	Rest.& Lodging	Restau- rants	Lodging
STATE TOTAL	0.8	0.6	-4.8	3.2	1.9	-1.5	0.4	4.8	3.9	7.6
FARMINGTON	0.3	2.6	7.7	-3.2	3.3	3.2	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.5
LEWISTON	-0.1	-0.9	-9.5	2.7	5.0	-15.4	3.1	4.4	4.1	7.1
LEWISTON SUB	6.1	5.8	-3.3	10.9	13.2	-8.4	8.9	8.0	13.1	-11.0
LIVERMORE	-4.1	-7.9	-6.6	-2.2	-21.6	-40.9	-3.2	6.3	6.0	19.3
PARIS	-4.1 -5.5	-6.6	-13.8	-2.2 -4.3	-21.0 -4.9	-40.9	-3.2	4.0	4.3	2.7
RANGELEY	4.1	2.7	-13.8	6.0	-4.9	19.6	-3.2 7.0	4.0	6.1	2.7
RUMFORD		-0.4	-9.6 -2.8	1.9	-2.8 8.0	-27.8	7.0 4.4	3.7	5.3	2.3 1.0
ANDROSCOGGIN	-1.1 -0.4	-0.4	-2.o -8.1	1.9	3.0	-27.0 -14.1	2.3	4.3	4.8	2.1
PORTLAND						-10.9				12.1
-	-1.6	-2.7	-7.3	6.9	-4.9 5.0		-0.9	3.6	1.8	
PORTLAND SUB	-2.6	-1.4	-10.1	4.0	-5.6	-0.5	0.3	3.9	2.8	7.0
SEBAGO LAKE	-4.3	-3.8	-14.2	4.2	5.6	-8.6	-3.3	-0.1	-0.5	1.0
CUMBERLAND	-2.2	-2.5	-9.5	5.6	87.0	-6.9	-0.9	3.2	1.7	8.8
BAR HARBOR	6.1	6.2	-7.5	8.7	-6.2	4.9	16.8	8.0	7.0	9.0
BLUE HILL CALAIS	8.0	8.8 1.7	27.7 0.4	2.9	9.9	7.5	-4.9	2.4	1.2	4.3
-	1.3			4.9	0.1	0.3	6.9	2.1	1.8	2.6
EASTPORT	3.4	3.2	-0.2	3.4	-4.8	-8.0	8.1	6.5	7.4	3.9
ELLSWORTH	0.0	-0.5	-2.8	0.3	-0.1	-0.8	-0.8	2.8	0.5	11.9
JONESPORT	-1.3	-2.0	-3.4	5.9	-10.1	-19.2	-3.4	2.5	-2.2	12.9
MACHIAS <b>EASTERN ME</b>	3.9 2.6	4.5 2.5	-1.7 -0.1	3.0 3.2	25.2 0.2	5.7 2.2	1.1 1.8	6.3 6.0	6.9 4.1	2.5 8.6
AUGUSTA	1.8	1.7	-4.1	-1.6	7.0	-6.5	2.5	3.5	3.2	5.4
JACKMAN	-3.8	-4.2	-16.5	0.8	-1.4	41.8	-8.5	-1.1	-1.2	-1.1
PITTSFIELD	7.5	8.2	70.1	3.8	0.9	0.4	10.9	-9.6	-11.1	8.4
SKOWHEGAN	-2.4	-2.5	-7.3	3.3	-4.6	0.2	-7.0	8.8	8.6	10.8
WATERVILLE	-0.3	-1.1	-4.3	2.9	-0.7	-10.4	0.0	5.3	4.5	9.7
KENNEBEC	0.8	0.5	-2.8	0.8	2.9	-7.1	0.9	4.0	3.6	6.3
BELFAST	-1.9	-1.6	-10.9	5.7	11.5	-3.4	1.2	-1.8	-2.2	-0.6
BRUNSWICK	3.5	3.6	-1.2	3.6	14.8	4.0	-3.3	4.4	3.9	6.6
CAMDEN	3.8	4.4	2.4	2.7	-2.0	2.8	-1.1	9.3	10.4	7.7
DAMARISCOTTA	0.1	0.4	-8.7	4.1	-3.2	3.2	-1.7	6.9	8.2	4.7
ROCKLAND	-1.7	-1.8	-5.6	1.1	3.4	-1.4	-8.7	6.6	3.4	19.3
MID COAST	1.2	1.4	-4.7	3.4	9.1	2.1	-3.5	5.8	5.3	6.9
FORT KENT	-4.7	-1.6	-5.9	7.6	-5.2	4.4	-4.1	2.1	2.3	1.3
HOULTON	6.4	7.8	12.7	6.1	3.0	1.7	15.2	6.8	4.6	19.1
MADAWASKA PATTEN	9.5	10.9	-0.2	1.0	136.8	2.8	8.4	-4.4	-4.0	-9.4
PRESQUE ISLE	4.2	2.8	4.2	5.5	5.9	-4.6	30.2	-10.0	-12.3	-1.1
	5.6 4.8	5.4 5.5	54.5 25.7	-2.4 1.0	-2.5 1.6	6.7	-1.8 2.1	3.4 2.5	4.4 2.6	-2.0
NORTHERN ME					1.6	4.5				1.9
BANGOR	-1.4	-0.9	-4.9	4.0	2.5	-15.7	-1.0	4.2	2.9	10.8
BANGOR SUB	2.2	0.2	-19.5	6.9	-8.5	1.3	7.5	10.5	9.1	18.7
DOVER-FOXCROFT	2.3	0.6	-6.9	0.2	3.4	8.0	4.0	4.9	5.6	3.3
LINCOLN	0.5	1.0	-2.3	5.4	-1.4	-2.9	2.6	0.4	0.8	-3.4
MILLINOCKET	0.2	-0.8	-11.2	2.9	1.2	-10.9	0.4	2.5	-3.8	18.0
WINTERPORT	5.4	-4.5	-11.2	5.4	0.3	7.0	2.6	-20.1	-19.9	-21.9
PENOBSCOT	-0.4	-0.7	-8.3	4.1	2.0	-12.1	1.1	4.0	2.8	10.2
BIDDEFORD	8.1	6.6	5.4	1.2	36.5	-3.1	-2.7	9.8	11.9	6.4
FRYEBURG	1.6	1.0	-3.5	-7.3	25.3	1.5	-3.4	11.4	18.0	2.2
KENNEBUNK	0.8	0.6	-4.7	20.1	15.8	-13.2	-8.1	6.5	5.1	8.6
KITTERY	2.5	2.5	-11.2	2.1	1.7	0.0	-0.9	6.4	5.1	8.1
SANFORD	-5.4	-5.1	-13.5	-0.2	-7.5	2.8	-6.9	3.2	2.8	7.5
SOUTHERN ME	2.8	2.3	-3.7	2.0	9.6	-2.1	-4.0	7.1	6.7	7.6
OUT OF STATE	5.5	7.0	-1.9	28.0	3.8	20.2	4.0	2.8	1.8	172.1

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ND = Non-Disclosable

Total Retail Sales

PERCENT CHANGE PAST **ECONOMIC CURRENT OUARTER** 2006 - 2007 12 **SUMMARY** 2007 % CHG % Mnths 8 YR-TO-% Mnths Months **AREA / DISTRICT** Sept DATE \$\$ 2006-2007 Rptng July Aug Rptng \$\$ 4,998,772 1.4% 1.1% 3.2% -0.3% 0.8% 17,234,238 STATE TOTAL 47.904 4.1% 100% -0.8% 6.8% 6.1% 0.3% 100% 176,968 **FARMINGTON** 258,748 1.3% 100% 3.5% 4.9% -4.3% -0.1% 100% 998,987 I FWISTON 29,664 6.5% 100% 8.6% 5.7% 5.4% 6.1% 100% 104,347 I FWISTON SUB LIVERMORE 13,556 -3.0% 100% -1.5% -3.7% -3.6% -4.1% 100% 52,927 **PARIS** 59,324 -6.6% 100% -0.6% -18.5% 1.5% -5.5% 100% 211,047 23,901 8.1% 100% 23.1% 1.0% 1.2% 4.1% 100% 79,180 **RANGELEY** 36,903 -7.6% 100% -2.5% -15.2% -3.5% -1.1% 100% 152,897 **RUMFORD** 470,000 0.2% 100% 3.1% -0.7% -1.6% -0.4% 100% 1,776,353 **ANDROSCOGGIN PORTLAND** 675,509 -1.4% 100% 1.8% -3.4% -2.3% -1.6% 100% 2,526,121 317,390 -1.7% 100% -2.2% 0.6% -3.5% -2.6% 100% 1,071,752 PORTLAND SUB 100% SEBAGO LAKE 149,116 -0.6% -3.6% 2.9% -0.8% -4.3% 100% 481,407 **CUMBERLAND** 1,142,015 -1.4% 100% -0.1% -1.5% -2.4% -2.2% 100% 4,079,281 5.9% 100% 7.6% 4.8% **BAR HARBOR** 130.502 4.9% 6.1% 100% 236,263 100% **BLUE HILL** 30,721 6.9% 100% 6.5% 13.9% 0.3% 8.0% 77,185 100% 2.1% 3.9% -0.6% 100% 108,774 **CALAIS** 29,837 3.2% 1.3% 100% 1.7% 100% 6.5% 1.0% 15.0% 3.4% 18,011 **EASTPORT** 6,271 -0.8% 100% 2.4% 100% 125.022 -4.7% 0.1% 0.0% 418,249 **ELLSWORTH** JONESPORT 13.737 -3.2% 100% -4.5% -7.1% 1.3% -1.3% 100% 44.141 14,851 3.5% 100% 2.8% 4.3% 3.4% 3.9% 100% 50,365 MACHIAS 350,941 2.7% 100% 0.8% 5.1% 2.1% 2.6% 100% 952,989 **EASTERN ME** 251,331 1.2% 100% -0.5% 5.5% -1.6% 1.8% 100% 957,979 AUGUSTA 9,759 -3.6% 100% -6.5% 0.1% -4.8% -3.8% 100% 28,622 JACKMAN 100% **PITTSFIELD** 22,570 11.6% 6.8% 14.0% 13.9% 7.5% 100% 85,659 **SKOWHEGAN** 57,941 -3.3% 100% -6.4% -2.8% -0.8% -2.4% 100% 209.525 168,330 2.3% 100% -0.2% 4.7% 2.3% -0.3% 100% 608,741 WATERVILLE **KENNEBEC** 509,931 1.3% 100% -0.9% 4.5% 0.4% 0.8% 100% 1,890,526 **BELFAST** 49,340 -1.2% 100% 3.9% 3.7% -10.2% -1.9% 100% 162,470 194,813 6.6% 100% 6.1% 11.3% 2.4% 3.5% 100% 675,378 **BRUNSWICK** 100% 64,833 4.8% 4.4% 5.9% 3.8% 3.8% 100% 165,978 CAMDEN 100% 4.8% **DAMARISCOTTA** 124,136 0.9% -0.4% -2.0%0.1% 100% 323,881 **ROCKLAND** 109,624 0.1% 100% 0.5% -1.3% 1.2% -1.7% 100% 358,396 3.0% 100% 5.7% 0.0% 100% MID COAST 542,745 3.0% 1.2% 1,686,103 -3.1% 100% -5.2% FORT KENT 18,535 -4.1% -0.2% -4.7% 100% 69,438 36,042 100% 6.9% 7.8% 5.0% 6.4% 100% 129.590 **HOULTON** 8.1% 13.843 9.0% 100% 9.8% 20.6% -1 4% 9.5% 100% 53.293 MADAWASKA 0.7% 100% 1.9% -2.9% 3.4% 4.2% 100% 27.768 8.454 PATTEN PRESQUE ISLE 105,534 5.1% 100% 4.3% 8.1% 3.1% 5.6% 100% 398,844 182,408 4.6% 100% 4.4% 6.9% 2.8% 4.8% 100% 678,933 **NORTHERN ME** 416.698 -0.5% 100% -3.7% 4.1% -2.0% -1.4% 100% 1.599.021 BANGOR 88,868 5.0% 100% 4.0% 5.6% 5.5% 2.2% 100% 316,234 BANGOR SUB 49,410 1.3% 100% 4.1% 5.1% -4.8% 2.3% 100% 159,686 DOVER-FOXCROFT 100% 25,621 -1.4% 4.2% 3.5% -11.2% 0.5% 100% 94,810 LINCOLN **MILLINOCKET** 14,998 -5.7% 100% -7.5% -5.9% -3.8% 0.2% 100% 51.894 WINTERPORT 14,549 13.6% 100% 15.9% 17.7% 7.9% 5.4% 100% 42,929 610,144 0.6% 100% -1.3% 4.3% -1.4% -0.4% 100% 2,264,575 **PENOBSCOT BIDDEFORD** 221,936 -10.9% 100% 4.6% 1.9% 7.9% 8.1% 100% 717,859 16,914 -18.0% 100% 6.2% 3.8% -4.3% 1.6% 100% 53,491 **FRYEBURG** 100% 85,161 -15.4% 0.3% 7.4% 1.0% 0.8% 100% 211,890 KENNEBUNK 100% 2.5% 100% 640,409 **KITTERY** 272,423 -11.4% 1.0% 1.8% 2.5% 100% -1.3% SANFORD 91,871 -21.2% -5.9% -4 0% -5.4% 100% 334,757 688.305 2.0% 100% 1.2% 2.5% 2.4% 2.8% 100% 1.958.406 **SOUTHERN ME OUT OF STATE** 502,682 5.2% 100% 4.2% 12.1% 0.2% 5.5% 100% 1,948,826

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Consumer Retail Sales

THIRD QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

ECONOMIC	CUDD	3 ENT QUARTER	,			ENT CHANGE 2006 - 2007	Ē		PAST 12
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SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	7 July	8 Aug	9 Sept	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	Months \$\$
STATE TOTAL	4,474,649	1.3%		1.7%	3.1%	-1.2%	0.6%		15,096,559
FARMINGTON	44,725	4.8%	100%	0.9%	9.5%	4.1%	2.6%	100%	162,755
LEWISTON	233,008	0.1%	100%	1.7%	4.5%	-5.6%	-0.9%	100%	895,351
LEWISTON SUB	24,992	8.4%	100%	12.1%	7.7%	5.9%	5.8%	100%	85,057
LIVERMORE	10,074	-7.7%	100%	-6.2%	-4.0%	-12.4%	-7.9%	100%	39,214
PARIS	55,679	-8.0%	100%	-2.3%	-19.8%	0.4%	-6.6%	100%	197,425
RANGELEY	21,723	6.5%	100%	13.9%	4.5%	1.3%	2.7%	100%	72,203
RUMFORD	32,848	-5.4%	100%	0.5%	-16.9%	3.2%	-0.4%	100%	132,119
ANDROSCOGGIN	423,048	-0.5%	100%	1.9%	-0.8%	-2.3%	-1.0%	100%	1,584,123
PORTLAND	601,004	-2.0%	100%	1.5%	-3.5%	-3.7%	-2.7%	100%	2,200,857
PORTLAND SUB	283,722	-1.9%	100%	-1.0%	-0.3%	-4.7%	-1.4%	100%	947,508
SEBAGO LAKE	141,837	-0.3%	100%	-3.6%	3.2%	-0.3%	-3.8%	100%	451,592
CUMBERLAND	1,026,563	-1.7%	100%	0.0%	-1.7%	-3.5%	-2.5%	100%	3,599,957
BAR HARBOR	128,318	6.0%	100%	4.7%	7.7%	5.6%	6.2%	100%	229,695
BLUE HILL	28,615	7.4%	100%	6.2%	13.3%	2.5%	8.8%	100%	71,138
CALAIS	27,407	2.6%	100%	2.2%	5.7%	0.0%	1.7%	100%	98,227
EASTPORT	5,922	5.7%	100%	-0.8%	1.1%	15.1%	3.2%	100%	16,935
ELLSWORTH	118,594	-0.9%	100%	-4.9%	2.3%	-0.1%	-0.5%	100%	391,184
JONESPORT	12,267	-5.2%	100%	-5.5%	-7.7%	-2.4%	-2.0%	100%	39,494
MACHIAS	14,036	4.8%	100%	2.7%	7.2%	4.3%	4.5%	100%	47,008
EASTERN ME	335,160	2.8%	100%	0.5%	5.3%	2.4%	2.5%	100%	893,681
AUGUSTA	236,964	1.5%	100%	-0.7%	6.7%	-1.6%	1.7%	100%	899,292
JACKMAN	8,569	-5.1%	100%	-9.8%	0.4%	-6.1%	-4.2%	100%	24,655
PITTSFIELD	21,279	12.3%	100%	3.7%	14.2%	18.8%	8.2%	100%	80,061
SKOWHEGAN	52,010	-4.4%	100%	-6.4%	-2.6%	-4.1%	-2.5%	100%	185,286
WATERVILLE	154,839	2.0%	100%	-0.1%	5.0%	1.1%	-1.1%	100%	551,449
KENNEBEC	473,660	1.3%	100%	-1.2%	5.2%	-0.3%	0.5%	100%	1,740,743
BELFAST	47,591	-0.8%	100%	5.0%	3.9%	-10.1%	-1.6%	100%	154,425
BRUNSWICK	187,027	6.9%	100%	6.0%	11.7%	3.1%	3.6%	100%	640,055
CAMDEN	60,896	5.8%	100%	5.5%	7.2%	4.3%	4.4%	100%	150,981
DAMARISCOTTA	119,180	1.2%	100%	0.1%	4.7%	-1.7%	0.4%	100%	307,027
ROCKLAND	94,948	-0.2%	100%	0.0%	-2.2%	2.0%	-1.8%	100%	306,678
MID COAST	509,643	3.3%	100%	3.3%	6.0%	0.5%	1.4%	100%	1,559,165
FORT KENT	14,664	-5.5%	100%	-4.3%	-10.9%	-1.4%	-1.6%	100%	53,426
HOULTON	32,186	9.4%	100%	12.2%	9.0%	7.2%	7.8%	100%	113,983
MADAWASKA	11,207	10.2%	100%	11.9%	20.2%	-0.1%	10.9%	100%	42,250
PATTEN	7,298	0.2%	100%	0.8%	-0.7%	0.5%	2.8%	100%	23,849
PRESQUE ISLE	88,914	5.3%	100%	3.5%	9.9%	2.6%	5.4%	100%	335,865
NORTHERN ME	154,269	5.0%	100%	4.9%	7.6%	2.8%	5.5%	100%	569,373
BANGOR	379,975	0.3%	100%	-2.6%	5.5%	-2.3%	-0.9%	100%	1,436,834
BANGOR SUB	72,913	3.0%	100%	2.0%	9.0%	-1.6%	0.2%	100%	263,037
DOVER-FOXCROFT	45,161	-0.2%	100%	1.2%	3.1%	-4.6%	0.6%	100%	144,654
LINCOLN	24,581	-0.9%	100%	4.7%	3.5%	-10.4%	1.0%	100%	89,747
MILLINOCKET	12,449	-6.2%	100%	-7.7%	-2.3%	-8.4%	-0.8%	100%	41,454
WINTERPORT	11,834	0.7%	100%	0.7%	5.3%	-3.3%	-4.5%	100%	35,359
PENOBSCOT	546,912	0.4%	100%	-1.4%	5.5%	-2.9%	-0.7%	100%	2,011,083
BIDDEFORD	209,971	-11.5%	100%	3.7%	0.9%	6.7%	6.6%	100%	666,064
FRYEBURG	15,942	-17.7%	100%	6.4%	4.5%	-3.4%	1.0%	100%	48,637
KENNEBUNK	83,247	-15.5%	100%	-0.3%	8.5%	1.7%	0.6%	100%	204,322
KITTERY	266,248	-11.2%	100%	1.0%	2.4%	1.7%	2.5%	100%	617,308
SANFORD	84,787	-21.0%	100%	-6.4%	-1.4%	-4.7%	-5.1%	100%	308,215
SOUTHERN ME	660,194	1.7%	100%	0.8%	2.2%	2.0%	2.3%	100%	1,844,545
OUT OF STATE	345,201	7.2%	100%	17.1%	11.2%	-3.7%	7.0%	100%	1,294,744

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ECONOMIC		ENT QUARTE				2006 - 2007			12
SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	7 July	8 Aug	9 Sept	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	Month \$\$
STATE TOTAL	706,377	-1.1%		1.6%	-2.6%	-2.0%	-4.8%		2,435
FARMINGTON	8,143	17.4%	100%	21.2%	12.1%	19.3%	7.7%	100%	23
LEWISTON	52,867	-5.4%	100%	0.2%	-3.4%	-12.3%	-9.5%	100%	189
LEWISTON SUB	3,678	-7.1%	100%	1.8%	-3.5%	-14.9%	-3.3%	100%	13
LIVERMORE	2,428	-0.7%	100%	3.7%	2.3%	-7.1%	-6.6%	100%	8
PARIS	10,619	0.2%	100%	14.5%	-25.4%	17.3%	-13.8%	100%	32
RANGELEY	6,165	-0.5%	100%	5.3%	0.4%	-6.5%	-9.8%	100%	19
RUMFORD	6,647	-6.3%	100%	-0.7%	-7.5%	-10.0%	-2.8%	100%	23
ANDROSCOGGIN	90,547	-2.7%	100%	3.6%	-5.0%	-6.3%	-8.1%	100%	308
PORTLAND	80,076	-2.8%	100%	-2.5%	-3.0%	-3.0%	-7.3%	100%	286
PORTLAND SUB	23,587	2.3%	100%	-13.7%	3.1%	17.1%	-10.1%	100%	75
SEBAGO LAKE	33,585	-6.3%	100%	-1.6%	-14.3%	-2.8%	-14.2%	100%	117
CUMBERLAND	137,248	-2.9%	100%	-4.1%	-4.8%	0.3%	-9.5%	100%	479
BAR HARBOR BLUE HILL	6,503 6,372	-10.6% 30.1%	100% 100%	4.3% 46.2%	-5.4% 36.5%	-28.6% 12.4%	-7.5% 27.7%	100% 100%	24 21
CALAIS	3,177	4.8%	100%	-5.7%	7.0%	12.4%	0.4%	100%	10
EASTPORT	457	-1.0%	100%	2.0%	-14.7%	7.8%	-0.2%	100%	1
ELLSWORTH	22,069	-0.9%	100%	-3.7%	-0.3%	1.6%	-2.8%	100%	76
JONESPORT	3,705	-9.0%	100%	1.3%	-12.0%	-14.6%	-3.4%	100%	12
MACHIAS	3,746	2.6%	100%	2.4%	3.9%	1.7%	-1.7%	100%	11
EASTERN ME	46,030	0.8%	100%	3.0%	2.3%	-2.7%	-0.1%	100%	157
AUGUSTA	28,780	-2.2%	100%	-0.3%	-0.7%	-5.4%	-4.1%	100%	100
JACKMAN	1,435	-18.5%	100%	-36.9%	0.9%	-22.6%	-16.5%	100%	5
PITTSFIELD	3,686	87.3%	100%	70.2%	51.0%	135.9%	70.1%	100%	12
SKOWHEGAN	10,912	-8.1%	100%	-9.1%	-1.3%	-13.4%	-7.3%	100%	33
WATERVILLE	39,489	0.2%	100%	3.1%	-0.6%	-1.7%	-4.3%	100%	126
KENNEBEC	84,302	-0.2%	100%	0.7%	0.6%	-1.8%	-2.8%	100%	278
BELFAST	12,907	-5.3%	100%	6.7%	-8.8%	-12.3%	-10.9%	100%	43
BRUNSWICK	36,802	1.7%	100%	8.5%	0.1%	-3.0%	-1.2%	100%	130
CAMDEN	6,724	8.8%	100%	8.8%	0.8%	17.3%	2.4%	100%	21
DAMARISCOTTA	16,155	-4.7%	100%	3.5%	-5.2%	-11.8%	-8.7%	100%	56
ROCKLAND	22,422 95,010	-4.1% -1.3%	100% 100%	3.2% 6.1%	-6.4% -3.7%	-8.9% -6.0%	-5.6% -4.7%	100% 100%	77 329
MID COAST	•								
FORT KENT	3,182	-12.5%	100%	-3.4%	-13.4%	-18.5%	-5.9%	100%	9
HOULTON	4,212	14.6%	100%	29.6%	6.4%	11.4%	12.7%	100%	12
MADAWASKA	3,851	6.3%	100%	-1.2%	17.2%	4.0%	-0.2%	100%	13
PATTEN	2,863	3.0%	100%	8.7%	-4.4%	6.6%	4.2%	100%	52 52
PRESQUE ISLE NORTHERN ME	16,040 30,147	38.9% 19.4%	100% 100%	44.8% 25.0%	29.1% 13.9%	43.0% 19.8%	54.5% 25.7%	100% 100%	97
BANGOR	51,965	-4.5%	100%	2.1%	-4.8%	-10.3%	-4.9%	100%	178
BANGOR SUB	16,079	-11.7%	100%	-7.1%	-9.4%	-17.9%	-19.5%	100%	52
DOVER-FOXCROFT	10,177	-0.9%	100%	-1.1%	-1.2%	-0.4%	-6.9%	100%	28
LINCOLN	3,408	-2.1%	100%	14.9%	-6.4%	-10.7%	-2.3%	100%	10
MILLINOCKET	1,616	-19.2%	100%	7.6%	-34.4%	-18.5%	-11.2%	100%	5
WINTERPORT	4,008	7.5%	100%	4.7%	16.8%	1.8%	-11.2%	100%	10
PENOBSCOT	87,254	-5.2%	100%	0.6%	-5.3%	-10.5%	-8.3%	100%	285
BIDDEFORD	31,597	-4.0%	100%	11.0%	-1.1%	4.7%	5.4%	100%	117
FRYEBURG	3,325	-15.4%	100%	12.5%	4.7%	-10.3%	-3.5%	100%	10
KENNEBUNK	8,618	-13.4%	100%	5.7%	7.0%	-11.3%	-4.7%	100%	33
KITTERY	10,910	-20.9%	100%	-15.2%	-14.8%	5.2%	-11.2%	100%	41
SANFORD	17,002	-20.9%	100%	-7.9%	-3.9%	-6.3%	-13.5%	100%	60
SOUTHERN ME	71,450	-0.7%	100%	1.4%	-2.8%	-0.6%	-3.7%	100%	263
OUT OF STATE	64,388	0.7%	100%	-2.1%	-2.9%	6.1%	-1.9%	100%	235

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ND = Non-Disclosable

Food Stores

PERCENT CHANGE PAST **ECONOMIC CURRENT QUARTER** 2006 - 2007 12 **SUMMARY** 2007 % CHG % Mnths 8 9 YR-TO-% Mnths Months **AREA / DISTRICT** \$\$ 2006-2007 Rptng July Aug Sept DATE Rptng \$\$ STATE TOTAL 425,956 4.8% -0.8% 13.8% 1.6% 3.2% 1,437,916 **FARMINGTON** 4.810 -3.4% 100% -4.4% -0.7% -4 9% -3.2% 100% 17.913 **LEWISTON** 21.851 6.3% 100% -2.3%23.0% -0.8%2.7% 100% 79.924 13.6% 7.6% **LEWISTON SUB** 5.968 100% 19.5% 14.3% 10.9% 100% 20.227 2,842 -0.2% -3.7% -0.9% -2.2% 100% 4.1% 100% 10.377 LIVERMORE 5,790 -5.4% -3.8% -0.6% -4.3% 100% 100% -11.1% 20.638 PARIS 2,959 4.1% 100% 3.9% 7.4% -0.2% 6.0% 100% 9,609 RANGELEY 5,007 -0.1% 100% -0.5% 6.6% -6.2% 1.9% 100% 19,654 RUMFORD **ANDROSCOGGIN** 49,226 3.4% 100% -2.0% 12.8% -0.2% 1.9% 100% 178,343 47,219 11.2% 100% 3.7% 25.6% 5.3% 6.9% 100% 167,447 PORTI AND PORTLAND SUB 25,284 6.6% 100% -1.5% 18.0% 3.9% 4.0% 100% 88,813 4.2% SEBAGO LAKE 18.784 4.6% 100% -2.3% 16.6% -0.1% 100% 58.613 91,286 8.5% 100% 0.9% 21.5% 3.8% 5.6% 100% 314,873 **CUMBERLAND** 7,603 11.9% 100% 10.6% 13.8% 10.9% 8.7% 100% 17.630 **BAR HARBOR** 4.7% 100% 2.6% 100% 15,486 **BLUE HILL** 5.516 8.3% 2.6% 2.9% **CALAIS** 3,453 7.0% 100% 2.7% 11.2% 7.1% 4.9% 100% 11,228 1,506 7.2% 100% 3.2% 3.7% 17.7% 3.4% 100% 5,027 **EASTPORT** 13,629 1.5% 100% -7.8% 13.9% -1.2% 0.3% 100% 43,288 **ELLSWORTH** 5.2% 100% -0.4% 5.9% **JONESPORT** 2.738 8.6% 7.0% 100% 8.646 **MACHIAS** 2.519 0.3% 100% -1.6% 2.6% -0.1% 3.0% 100% 9.207 36,963 4.9% 100% -0.3% 11.2% 3.6% 3.2% 110,513 **EASTERN ME** 100% 23.779 -3.8% 100% -9.1% 2.8% -4.9% -1.6% 100% 89,881 **AUGUSTA** 1,469 -7.7% 100% 0.2% 7.4% -27.3% 0.8% **JACKMAN** 100% 5.069 2.249 9.4% 100% 2.3% 10.7% 15.7% 3.8% 7,896 100% **PITTSFIELD** 8,305 3.6% 100% 1.5% 1.8% 3.3% 7.7% 100% 29.153 SKOWHEGAN 17,385 7.3% 100% 2.3% 16.4% 3.7% 2.9% 100% 60,505 WATERVILLE 53,187 1.2% 100% -3.2% 8.2% -1.2% 0.8% 100% 192,503 **KENNEBEC BELEAST** 7,578 4.4% 100% 2.9% 5.5% 5.0% 5.7% 100% 26,238 **BRUNSWICK** 18,988 9.8% 100% -2.6% 29.8% 3.0% 3.6% 100% 62,195 8.2% CAMDEN 4.799 5.8% 100% 6.8% 1.9% 2.7% 100% 14,802 5.4% 100% 5.0% 4.1% DAMARISCOTTA 14.013 0.6% 10.8% 100% 40.85 11,301 1.4% 100% -7.9% 9.4% 2.9% 1.1% 100% 36,173 **ROCKLAND** MID COAST 56,680 5.9% 100% -1.3% 15.4% 3.6% 3.4% 100% 180,258 1,646 4.8% 100% 5.2% 9.2% 0.8% 7.6% 100% 5,808 FORT KENT **HOULTON** 4,139 6.0% 100% -1.1% 8.1% 11.3% 6.1% 100% 14,355 1,729 0.9% 100% 1.1% 9.4% -6.7% 1.0% 100% 6,463 MADAWASKA 1,831 3.9% 100% -0.4% 5.6% 6.4% 5.5% 100% 6,221 PATTEN PRESQUE ISLE 10.144 -5.5% 100% -1.9% 1.1% -13.6% -2.4% 100% 37,852 19.488 -1.0% 100% -0.7% 4.3% -5.6% 1.0% 100% 70,699 **NORTHERN ME** 8.4% 100% 2.1% 20.5% 3.6% 4.0% 100% 91,371 **BANGOR** 24,949 11.496 6.2% 100% 5.4% 7.2% 5.9% 6.9% 100% 42.636 **BANGOR SUB** 0.2% 9.518 -0.3% 100% -4.2% 7.9% -4.8% 100% 31,088 DOVER-FOXCROFT 3,538 4.8% 1.2% 11.9% 5.4% 100% 1.5% 100% 12.133 LINCOLN 3,106 -0.6% 100% 0.6% -1.3% -1.0% 2.9% 100% 10,739 MILLINOCKET 1,743 13.1% 100% 8.9% 17.7% 13.0% 5.4% 100% 5,586 WINTERPORT **PENOBSCOT** 54,351 5.7% 100% 1.6% 12.5% 3.1% 4.1% 100% 193,553 24,240 -3.4% 100% -7.6% 14.8% -3.9% 1.2% 100% 75,293 BIDDEFORD **FRYEBURG** 1,938 -15.3% 100% -9.9% -1.4% -14.7% -7.3% 100% 6,809 KENNEBUNK 6,128 10.6% 100% 34.2% 36.7% 38.4% 20.1% 100% 14.568 -1.0% 100% 6.2% 100% **KITTERY** 16.136 -1.4% 6.4% 2.1% 42.215 14,868 -5.2% 100% -7.3% 13.5% -3.3% -0.2% 100% 52,205 SANFORD **SOUTHERN ME** 63,310 3.9% 100% -3.0% 13.4% 1.3% 2.0% 100% 191,090 100% **OUT OF STATE** 1,465 62.2% 100% 17.4% 19.9% -8.7% 28.0% 6,084

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**General Merchandise Stores** 

THIRD QUARTER 2007 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)

FOONS		3				CENT CHANG	Ε		PAS
ECONOMIC		ENT QUARTE				2006 - 2007			12
SUMMARY AREA / DISTRICT	2007 \$\$	% CHG 2006-2007	% Mnths Rptng	7 July	8 Aug	9 Sept	YR-TO- DATE	% Mnths Rptng	Mon \$\$
STATE TOTAL	822,181	2.4%		1.9%	6.0%	-0.9%	1.9%		3,13
FARMINGTON	12,605	4.0%	100%	0.4%	8.8%	3.0%	3.3%	100%	5
LEWISTON	49,137	6.0%	100%	5.8%	10.7%	1.6%	5.0%	100%	20
LEWISTON SUB	1,050	10.1%	100%	10.5%	10.4%	9.4%	13.2%	100%	
LIVERMORE	161	-22.2%	100%	-2.7%	-23.9%	-31.9%	-21.6%	100%	
PARIS	17,058	-9.6%	100%	-12.0%	-7.3%	-9.2%	-4.9%	100%	(
RANGELEY	308	6.2%	100%	-2.7%	-3.8%	24.6%	-2.8%	100%	
RUMFORD	8,060	14.1%	100%	11.0%	21.9%	9.3%	8.0%	100%	;
ANDROSCOGGIN	88,379	2.9%	100%	1.1%	7.4%	0.3%	3.0%	100%	36
PORTLAND	126,749	-2.0%	100%	0.3%	0.3%	-6.1%	-4.9%	100%	5
PORTLAND SUB	65,574	-8.2%	100%	-4.6%	-2.6%	-18.4%	-5.6%	100%	23
SEBAGO LAKE CUMBERLAND	24,208 216,530	5.1% -3.3%	100% 100%	5.2% -0.7%	10.5% 0.3%	-0.9% -9.3%	5.6% -4.0%	100% 100%	83
BAR HARBOR	3,614	-1.7%	100%	5.5%	-7.1%	-2.7%	-6.2%	100%	
BLUE HILL	499	8.2%	100%	-12.0%	-7.1 <i>%</i> -15.1%	34.2%	9.9%	100%	1
CALAIS	12,489	0.8%	100%	1.6%	2.0%	-1.3%	0.1%	100%	4
EASTPORT	380	-14.1%	100%	-16.5%	-10.6%	-15.2%	-4.8%	100%	
ELLSWORTH	25,770	0.3%	100%	-1.9%	0.4%	2.8%	-0.1%	100%	8
JONESPORT	577	-19.9%	100%	-25.0%	-15.7%	-19.0%	-10.1%	100%	1 `
MACHIAS	1,515	32.0%	100%	9.4%	41.1%	49.3%	25.2%	100%	
EASTERN ME	44,844	0.7%	100%	-0.6%	0.5%	2.4%	0.2%	100%	15
AUGUSTA	56,684	6.4%	100%	3.5%	8.9%	6.6%	7.0%	100%	23
JACKMAN	886	-1.5%	100%	-7.4%	2.3%	1.9%	-1.4%	100%	
PITTSFIELD	10,111	1.3%	100%	-0.9%	7.3%	-2.5%	0.9%	100%	4
SKOWHEGAN	10,218	-13.7%	100%	-17.6%	-20.6%	0.2%	-4.6%	100%	4
WATERVILLE	29,650	1.2%	100%	-0.3%	4.1%	-0.2%	-0.7%	100%	12
KENNEBEC	107,548	2.1%	100%	-0.6%	3.9%	3.1%	2.9%	100%	43
BELFAST	5,124	4.7%	100%	-1.4%	14.7%	1.5%	11.5%	100%	
BRUNSWICK	40,456	15.4%	100%	14.1%	26.2%	7.0%	14.8%	100%	15
CAMDEN	4,131	-0.6%	100%	2.1%	6.5%	-10.3%	-2.0%	100%	1
DAMARISCOTTA	8,439	-2.5%	100%	1.1%	1.6%	-9.6%	-3.2%	100%	2
ROCKLAND	18,065	4.4%	100%	2.8%	9.4%	0.6%	3.4%	100%	6
MID COAST	76,215	8.8%	100%	7.8%	16.8%	2.1%	9.1%	100%	27
FORT KENT HOULTON	1,423 9,121	-5.7% 5.1%	100% 100%	-1.9% 2.4%	-4.5% 7.8%	-9.9% 5.1%	-5.2% 3.0%	100% 100%	3
MADAWASKA	1,627	132.2%	100%	154.5%	173.9%	88.1%	136.8%	100%	1
PATTEN	354	24.5%	100%	2.2%	2.0%	99.7%	5.9%	100%	1
PRESQUE ISLE	23,562	-1.0%	100%	-3.6%	3.5%	-3.2%	-2.5%	100%	9
NORTHERN ME	36,086	3.2%	100%	1.0%	7.1%	1.3%	1.6%	100%	14
BANGOR	104,320	4.5%	100%	0.9%	10.6%	1.4%	2.5%	100%	41
BANGOR SUB	3,184	-1.1%	100%	-1.8%	-5.7%	4.1%	-8.5%	100%	1
DOVER-FOXCROFT	4,357	5.0%	100%	11.0%	13.8%	-7.2%	3.4%	100%	1
LINCOLN	5,465	0.1%	100%	2.0%	3.4%	-5.0%	-1.4%	100%	2
MILLINOCKET	865	4.1%	100%	8.6%	12.8%	-8.6%	1.2%	100%	
WINTERPORT	620	2.5%	100%	-0.6%	2.5%	5.7%	0.3%	100%	
PENOBSCOT	118,810	4.1%	100%	1.3%	9.9%	0.8%	2.0%	100%	47
BIDDEFORD	29,600	-2.2%	100%	33.6%	43.1%	35.6%	36.5%	100%	11
FRYEBURG	573	2.4%	100%	84.4%	132.9%	-2.7%	25.3%	100%	1
KENNEBUNK	4,235	6.2%	100%	22.3%	28.0%	-4.5% 5.0%	15.8%	100%	1
KITTERY	50,808 15,560	-3.9%	100%	-0.9% -10.3%	4.3% -8.7%	-5.0% -10.2%	1.7% -7.5%	100% 100%	14
SANFORD SOUTHERN ME	15,560 100,775	-25.1% 7.3%	100% 100%	6.7%	-8.7% 11.6%	3.4%	-7.5% 9.6%	100%	33
OUT OF STATE	32,994	8.3%	100%	10.9%	2.7%	11.8%	3.8%	100%	12
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Other Retail Stores

PERCENT CHANGE PAST **ECONOMIC CURRENT QUARTER** 2006 - 2007 12 **SUMMARY** 2007 % CHG % Mnths 8 YR-TO-% Mnths Months **AREA / DISTRICT** \$\$ 2006-2007 Rptng July Aug Sept DATE Rptng \$\$ STATE TOTAL 532,348 -3.7% 4.3% -11.8% -1.7% -1.5% 1,915,878 **FARMINGTON** 3.736 -6.2% 100% -1.3% 0.0% -14.5% 3 2% 100% 16.193 **LEWISTON** 17.148 -8.1% 100% -20.9% 3.8% -5.5% -15.4% 100% 73,516 -7.9% 20.0% -20.6% **LEWISTON SUB** 1.738 100% 3.8% -8.4% 100% 7.878 -58.4% -61.4% -40.9% 638 100% -58.8% -55.1% 100% 4,426 LIVERMORE -48.5% -73.3% -24.5% 100% 3.110 100% 1.4% -2.3% 12.393 PARIS 3,526 59.2% 100% 113.0% 31.7% 40.0% 19.6% 100% 10,949 RANGELEY 2,558 -55.1% 100% -10.3% -79.9% -4.2% -27.8% 100% 11,496 RUMFORD 32,456 -18.9% 100% -8.6% -36.3% -6.0% -14.1% 100% 136,852 **ANDROSCOGGIN** 74,132 -18.9% 100% 4.0% -35.9% -12.1% -10.9% 100% 311,002 PORTI AND PORTLAND SUB 67,992 -1.7% 100% 5.7% -7.4% -2.4% -0.5% 100% 233,120 -13.0% SEBAGO LAKE 10.538 1.9% 100% 11.5% 9.6% -8.6% 100% 36,685 152,663 -10.7% 100% -6.9% 100% 580,807 **CUMBERLAND** 3.4% -23.5% -6.5% 19,842 5.8% 100% 5.1% 6.6% 5.5% 4.9% 100% 34,004 **BAR HARBOR** 100% 12.8% 7.5% 100% **BLUE HILL** 4.377 7.2% 15.1% -4.4% 10.528 **CALAIS** 1,566 1.0% 100% -8.0% 7.4% 1.9% 0.3% 100% 6,199 511 6.8% 100% 12.7% 7.1% 5.4% -8.0% 100% 1,266 **EASTPORT** 11,137 3.4% 100% 3.8% 9.4% -2.2% -0.8% 100% 32,457 **ELLSWORTH** 100% **JONESPORT** 536 -33.7% -69.5% -52.9% 17.8% -19.2% 100% 1.850 **MACHIAS** 1.191 0.5% 100% 5.8% 4.0% -4.7% 5.7% 100% 4,832 39.159 4.1% 100% 3.1% 1.7% 2.2% **EASTERN ME** 7.3% 100% 91,136 17,015 -4.4% 100% -11.6% 0.2% -1.5% -6.5% 100% 71.524 **AUGUSTA** 206 117.6% 100% 115.9% 41.8% **JACKMAN** 259.9% 11.9% 100% 568 952 6.4% 100% 1.5% 15.0% 3.9% 0.4% 100% 3.720 **PITTSFIELD** 3,009 7.6% 100% 3.9% 13.3% 6.4% 0.2% 100% 12.089 SKOWHEGAN 12,858 -4.0% 100% -16.9% 7.7% -3.5% -10.4% 100% 50,292 WATERVILLE 34,040 -2.7% 100% -12.1% 5.3% -1.2% -7.1% 100% 138,192 **KENNEBEC BELEAST** 4,622 -0.8% 100% -4.8% 1.3% 0.6% -3.4% 100% 15,535 **BRUNSWICK** 16,507 15.3% 100% 16.5% 15.8% 13.9% 4.0% 100% 62,715 11,176 2.5% 100% 1.8% 2.6% 3.1% 2.8% 100% 29,082 CAMDEN 100% 2.7% 3.2% DAMARISCOTTA 15.695 4.3% 9.7% 0.5% 100% 37.150 8,943 -2.9% 100% -5.2% -17.0% 11.8% -1.4% 100% 27,452 **ROCKLAND** MID COAST 56,942 5.2% 100% 4.2% 4.4% 6.7% 2.1% 100% 171,941 1,356 17.3% 100% 5.5% 23.3% 20.2% 4.4% 100% 4,626 FORT KENT **HOULTON** 2,484 -1.4% 100% -4.8% -1.9% 1.5% 1.7% 100% 9,265 884 -0.3% 100% 0.9% 3.5% -5.1% 2.8% 100% 4,101 MADAWASKA 759 0.0% 100% -11.5% 4.3% 6.7% -4.6% 100% 2,921 PATTEN PRESQUE ISLE 7.008 5.7% 100% 7.0% 11.4% -0.1% 6.7% 100% 28,343 12.490 4.5% 100% 2.3% 2.4% 4.5% 100% 49,257 **NORTHERN ME** 8.8% -4.8% 100% -22.5% 0.7% -15.7% 100% **BANGOR** 30,720 10.4% 131,583 4.393 6.0% 100% 5.4% 3.2% 8.2% 1.3% 100% 17.428 **BANGOR SUB** 3.567 1.4% 100% 0.9% 4.8% -1.3% 0.8% 12,895 DOVER-FOXCROFT 100% 911 -6.5% -5.4% -0.2% -2.9% 100% -11.5% 100% 4.145 LINCOLN 658 -16.8% 100% -2.6% -4.3% -29.8% -10.9% 100% 3,019 MILLINOCKET 1,567 4.4% 100% 9.3% 7.5% 0.1% 7.0% 100% 4,798 WINTERPORT **PENOBSCOT** 41,816 -3.2% 100% -17.0% 8.6% 0.2% -12.1% 100% 173,867 12,605 -19.7% 100% 18.7% -55.4% 23.5% -3.1% 100% 37,958 BIDDEFORD **FRYEBURG** 1,971 -25.0% 100% 3.0% 7.2% -7.5% 1.5% 100% 7,581 0.7% KENNEBUNK 9.947 -17.9% 100% -11.0% 6.7% -13.2% 100% 24,855 36,452 100% 100,200 **KITTERY** -19.6% 8.0% -15.1% 1.6% 0.0% 100% 7,135 -18.5% 100% 3.0% 5.1% 0.6% 2.8% 100% 27,980 SANFORD **SOUTHERN ME** 68,109 -7.0% 100% 5.6% -23.6% 4.6% -2.1% 100% 198,574 OUT OF STATE 94,673 9.1% 100% 35.4% 5.5% -4.4% 20.2% 100% 375,252

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**Automotive Stores** 

PERCENT CHANGE PAST **ECONOMIC CURRENT QUARTER** 2006 - 2007 12 **SUMMARY** 2007 % CHG % Mnths 8 YR-TO-% Mnths Months **AREA / DISTRICT** \$\$ 2006-2007 Rptng July Aug Sept DATE Rptng \$\$ STATE TOTAL 979,704 -0.3% 0.1% 4.8% -6.1% 0.4% 3,624,579 **FARMINGTON** 9.640 7.0% 100% -8.8% 14.7% 16.6% 1.6% 100% 35,795 **LEWISTON** 57.870 -0.8%100% 8.1% 0.0% -10.4% 3.1% 100% 216,691 18.5% 23.3% **LEWISTON SUB** 6.748 100% 7.7% 23.4% 8.9% 100% 24.169 3.2% 7.6% -8.0% -3.2% 2.309 100% 14.8% 100% 9.426 LIVERMORE -0.8% -1.4% -3.2% 100% 12.626 100% 1.2% -2.4% 48.814 PARIS 1,254 -9.0% 100% -4.9% -5.4% -17.0% 7.0% 100% 5,347 RANGELEY 2,725 14.9% 100% 16.0% -1.2% 28.9% 4.4% 100% 10,959 RUMFORD **ANDROSCOGGIN** 93,172 1.5% 100% 6.1% 1.7% -3.2% 2.3% 100% 351,200 140,934 -0.8% 100% -1.8% 1.9% -2.8% -0.9% 100% 500,553 PORTI AND PORTLAND SUB 43,455 -5.7% 100% -4.3% -4.3% -8.6% 0.3% 100% 166,763 -1.6% SEBAGO LAKE 19.750 100% -10.4% 12.4% -4.3% -3.3% 100% 69,756 204,139 -1.9% 100% -3.2% -4.3% -0.9% 100% **CUMBERLAND** 1.5% 737,072 6,114 6.3% 100% 15.8% 9.0% -8.3% 16.8% 100% 19.914 **BAR HARBOR** -0.5% 100% **BLUE HILL** 2.143 100% -16.9% 76.9% -17.1% -4.9% 6.953 **CALAIS** 2,999 2.7% 100% 17.7% 13.0% -13.7% 6.9% 100% 11,544 800 13.1% 100% 7.3% 8.1% 21.7% 8.1% 100% 2,659 **EASTPORT** 26,315 -9.3% 100% -15.7% -8.0% -3.7% -0.8% 100% 103,317 **ELLSWORTH** 2,502 -6.8% 100% -3.4% **JONESPORT** 0.9% -15.1% -4.3% 100% 9.000 **MACHIAS** 1.842 5.1% 100% -0.3%10.0% 6.0% 1.1% 100% 6,952 42,715 -5.0% 100% -7.3% -5.4% 1.8% 160,338 **EASTERN ME** -2.3%100% 78.311 1.6% 100% -0.4% 10.2% -5.4% 2.5% 100% 292.382 **AUGUSTA** 592 -6.2% 100% -4.3% -23.1% 9.0% -8.5% **JACKMAN** 100% 2.309 38.2% 2.126 22.4% 100% -1.8% 31.5% 10.9% 100% 7.804 **PITTSFIELD** 11,388 -6.8% 100% -9.4% -8.3% -7.0% 44,922 -2.7% 100% SKOWHEGAN 30,593 1.7% 100% -0.1% 3.2% 2.3% 0.0% 100% 116,234 WATERVILLE 123,011 1.1% 100% -1.2% 7.4% -3.1% 0.9% 100% 463,651 **KENNEBEC BELEAST** 7,967 -2.4% 100% 26.3% 25.1% -34.5% 1.2% 100% 28,146 **BRUNSWICK** 34,583 1.6% 100% -1.6% 4.3% 2.1% -3.3% 100% 124,389 4.786 -5.9% 100% -5.3% 0.4% -13.9% -1.1% 100% 16,620 CAMDEN -6.9% 100% -10.9% -6.9% DAMARISCOTTA 20.944 -2.6% -1.7% 100% 75.308 17,716 -3.3% 100% -3.6% -15.8% 12.6% -8.7% 100% 61,213 **ROCKLAND** MID COAST 85,995 -2.4% 100% -2.5% -0.8% -3.9% -3.5% 100% 305,675 4,295 -14.6% 100% -15.9% -26.9% 4.3% -4.1% 100% 18,678 FORT KENT **HOULTON** 8,288 19.0% 100% 39.3% 12.2% 10.1% 15.2% 100% 29,320 1,571 3.4% 100% 16.8% 12.2% -18.5% 8.4% 100% 6,574 MADAWASKA 473 21.2% 100% 52.9% 38.4% -5.9% 30.2% 100% 1,762 PATTEN PRESQUE ISLE 19.806 -1.0% 100% -8.9% 13.4% -6.1% -1.8% 100% 77,673 34.434 1.5% 100% -0.2% -1.8% 2.1% 100% 134,008 **NORTHERN ME** 6.3% -6.7% -2.0% -6.8% -1.0% 100% **BANGOR** 105,620 -5.1% 100% 404,642 29.803 9.9% 100% 4.6% 24.6% 2.4% 7.5% 100% 114,479 **BANGOR SUB** 10.753 -3.9% 100% 6.4% -0.7% 4.0% DOVER-FOXCROFT -16.1% 100% 39.775 -2.2% 7.7% -23.1% 2.6% 8.738 100% 9.0% 100% 32.923 LINCOLN 2,600 -10.3% 100% -32.1% 15.1% -5.5% 0.4% 100% 10,344 MILLINOCKET 2,252 6.1% 100% 9.6% 8.4% 0.2% 2.6% 100% 7,324 WINTERPORT **PENOBSCOT** 159,765 -2.3% 100% -3.5% 3.1% -6.6% 1.1% 100% 609,487 49,759 -11.8% 100% -6.3% -1.1% -10.2% -2.7% 100% 186,426 BIDDEFORD **FRYEBURG** 2,554 -10.0% 100% 17.3% -21.0% 5.2% -3.4% 100% 8,978 9,476 KENNEBUNK -12.0% 100% -17.8% -4.0% -18.8% -8.1% 100% 35.646 100% -20.0% 27,586 **KITTERY** 7.720 -8.9% 6.2% 3.0% -0.9% 100% 16,971 -14.1% 100% -8.2% -8.9% -8.2% -6.9% 100% 62,874 SANFORD **SOUTHERN ME** 86,478 -6.9% 100% -6.6% -3.2% -11.3% -4.0% 100% 321,510 8.8% OUT OF STATE 149,996 100% 18.0% 22.8% -10.9% 4.0% 100% 541,638

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Restaurant & Lodging

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Restaurants

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136.8%

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OUT OF STATE

45

565.7%

182.8%

ND

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SOUTHERN MAIN	E ECONOMIC SUMMAR	Y DISTRICT		
KITTERY ESA	KENNEBUNK ESA	BIDDEFORD ESA	SANFORD ESA	FRYEBURG ESA
Cape Neddick	Arundel	Bar Mills	Acton	Baldwin
Eliot	Cape Porpoise	Biddeford	Alfred	Brownfield
Highpine	Kennebunk	Buxton	Berwick	Cornish
Kittery	Kennebunkport	Dayton	E Lebanon	Denmark
Moody		Hollis	Emery Mills	Fryeburg
Ogunquit		Limington	Goodwins Mills	Hiram
South Berwick		Ocean Park	Lebanon	Kezar Falls
Webhannet		Old Orchard Beach	Limerick	Lovell
Wells		Saco	Lyman	Parsonfield
York			Maplewood	Porter
			Newfield	Stoneham
			North Berwick	Stow
			Sanford	Sweden
			Shapleigh	
			South lebanon	
			Springvale	
			Waterboro	
			West Lebanon	

#### CUMBERLAND ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT PORTLAND ESA PORTLAND SUBURBAN SEBAGO LAKE ESA Cliff Isl Bustins Isl Bolster Mill Bridgton Cumberland Mills Cape Elizabeth Great Diamond Isl Chebeague Isl Casco Long Island Cousins Isl Convene Peaks Island Cumberland Crescent Lake Portland Falmouth Douglas Hill South Portland Freeport Dry Mills Westbrook E Sebago Gorham North Yarmouth Gray Pine Point Harrison Pownal Hillside Prouts Neck Naples Scarborough North Sebago Raymond Yarmouth Sebago Sebago Lake Standish Steep Falls Windham

ANDROSCOGGIN ECO	NOMIC SUMMARY D	ISTRICT			
LEWISTON-AUBURN ESA	PARIS ESA	RUMFORD ESA	FARMING I ON ESA	LIVERMORE ESA	RANGELEY ESA
Auburn	Albany Twp	Andover	Allens Mil	Canton	Adamstown
Danville	Bryant Pond	Bethel	Avon	Chisholm	Bald Mtn
Lewiston	Buckfield	Byron	Chesterville	E Livermore	Carrab. Valley
Lisbon	Greenwood	Carthage	Dryden	Fayette	Coburn Gore
	Hartford	Dixfield	E Dixfield	Jay	Coplin Plt
LEWISTON-AUB SUBURBAN	Hebron	Frye	Farmington	Livermore	Dallas
Curtis Corner	Locke Mills	Gilead	Industry	Livermore Falls	Eustis
Durham	Norway	Hanover	New Sharon		Freeman Twp
Greene	Otisfield	Mexico	New Vineyard		Grants
Intervale	Oxford	Milton Plt	Phillips		Kennebago Lake
Leeds	Paris	Newry	Strong		Kingfield
Mechanic Falls	Sumner	Peru	Temple		Lincoln Plt
Minot	Waterford	Ridlonville	Weld		Madrid
New Glouster	Welchville	Riley	Wilton		Magalloway Plt
Poland	West Paris	Roxbury			Oquossoc
Sabbathday Lake	Woodstock	Rumford			Pleasant Isl

KENNEBEC ECONOMIC	SUMMARY DISTRICT			
AUGUSTA ESA	WATERVILLE ESA	SKOWHEGAN ESA	PITTSFIELD ESA	JACKMAN ESA
Augusta	Albion	Anson	Burnham	Bingham
Chelsea	Belgrade	Athens	Cambridge	Brighton Plt
Coopers Mills	Benton	Canaan	Detroit	Caratunk
Farmingdale	China	Cornville	Hartland	Concord Typ
Gardiner	Clinton	Embden	Palmyra	Dennistown
Hallowell	Fairfield	Harmony	Pittsfield	Highland Plt
Hibberts Gore	Freedom	Lakewood	Ripley	Holeb
Kents Hill	Hinckley	Madison	St. Albans	Jackman
Litchfield	Oakland	Mercer		Lake Moxie
Manchester	Palermo	New Portland		Lexington Twp
Monmouth	Rome	Norridgewock		Long Pond Twp
Mount Vernon	Shawmut	Skowhegan		Moose River
Pittston	Sidney	Solon		Moscow
Randolph	Smithfield	Starks		Ogontz
Readfield	Thorndike			Pleasant Rd.
Richmond	Troy			Rockwood
Somerville	Unity			The Forks Plt
Vienna	Unity Twp			Wyman Dam
Wayne	Vassalboro			W. Forks Plt
West Gardiner	Waterville			
Whitefield	Weeks Mills			
Windsor	Winslow			
Winthrop				

MID COAST ECONOMIC S	SUMMARY DISTRICT			
BRUNSWICK ESA	DAMARISCOTTA ESA	ROCKLAND ESA	CAMDEN ESA	BELFAST ESA
Arrowsic	Alna	Clark Isl	Appleton	Bayside
Bailey Island	Bayville	Criehaven	Burketville	Belfast
Bath	Boothbay	Cushing	Camden	Belmont
Birch Island	Boothbay Hbr	Friendship	Dark Harbor	Brooks
Bowdoin	Bremen	Lawry	Glen Cove	Jackson
Bowdoinham	Bristol	Long Cove	Норе	Knox
Brunswick	Capitol Isl	Matinicus Plt	Isleboro	Liberty
Cedar Grove	Chamberlain	North Haven	Lincolnville	Monroe
Cundys Hbr	Christmas Cove	Owls Head	Pripset	Montville
Dresden	Damariscotta	Pleasant Pt	Rockport	Morrill
Five Islands	Damariscotta Mills	Port Clyde		Northport
Georgetown	Edgecomb	Rockland		Searsmont
Harpswell	Head Tide	So Thomaston		Swansville
Macmahan	Jefferson	Sprucehead		Waldo
Merepoint	Loudville	St. George		
Orrs Island	Medomak	Tenants Harbor		
Pejebscot	Monhegan Plt	Thomaston		
Perkins Twp	New Harbor	Union		
Phippsburg	Newagen	Vinalhaven		
Popham Beach	Newcastle	Warren		
Robinhood	Nobleboro	Washington		
Sebasco Estates	Ocean Point			
Small Pt Bea	Pemaquid			
Topsham	Round Pond			
West Bath	Sheepscot			
West Point	South Bristol			
Woolwich	Southport			
	Squirrel Island			
	Trevett			
	Waldoboro			
	Walpole			
	Westport			
	Winslow Mills			
	Wiscasset			

EASTERN MAINE	ECONOMIC SUMI	MARY DISTRICT			
ELLSWORTH ESA	BLUE HILL ESA	BAR HARBOR ESA	JONESPORT ESA	MACHIAS ESA	CALAIS ESA
Amherst	Blue Hill	Atlantic	Addison	Bucks Harbor	Alexander
Ashville	Brooklyn	Bar Harbor	Beals	Cutler	Baileyville
Aurora	Brooksville	Bass Harbor	Beddington	E Machias	Baring Plt
Birch Harbor	Cape Rosier	Bernard	Centerville	Jacksonville	Brookton
Bucksport	Castine	Cranberry Isl	Cherryfield	Larrabee	Calais
Corea	Deer Isle	Frenchboro	Columbia	Machias	Charlotte
Dedham	Harborside	Hall Quarry	Columbia Falls	Machiasport	Codyville Plt
Eastbrook	Isle Au Haut	Hulls Cove	Deblois	Marshfield	Cooper
Ellsworth	Little Deer Isl	Isleford	Harrington	Northfield	Crawford
Franklin	Lookout	Long Island Plt	Jonesboro	Roque Bluffs	Forest Sta
Gouldsboro	Oceanville	Manset	Jonesport	Starboard	Grand Lake Sta
Great Pond	Penobscot	Minturn	Milbridge	Wesley	Grove
Green Lake	Sargentville	Mount Desert	Steuben	Whiting	Lambert Lake
Hancock	Sedgwick	Northeast Harbor	Unionville	Whitneyville	Meddybemps
Lamoine	Stonington	Otter Creek			Milltown
Mariaville	Sunset	Salisbury Cove		EASTPORT ESA	No. 21 Plt
Orland		Seal Cove		Ayers	Princeton
Osborn Plt		Seal Harbor		Dennysville	Red Beach
Otis		Southwest Hbr		Eastport	Robbinston
Prospect Harbor		Swans Isl		Edmunds Twp	Talmadge
Sorrento		Tremont		Lubec	Topsfield
Sullivan				No. 14 Plt	Vanceboro
Surry				Pembroke	Waite
Trenton				Perry	Woodland (04694)
Verona				Trescott Twp	
Waltham					
Winter Harbor					

WINTERPORT ESA	BANGOR ESA	BANGOR SUB. ESA	DOVER-FOX. ESA	LINCOLN ESA	MILLINOCKET ESA
Frankfort	Bangor	Alton	Abbott	Burlington	E Millinocket
Prospect	Brewer	Argyle Twp	Atkinson	Carroll Plt	Grindstone
Sandy Point	Great Works	Bradley	Barnard Plt	Chester	Medway
Searsport	Indian Isl Sta	Cardville	Beaver Cove	Drew Plt	Millinocket
Stockton Springs	Old Town	Carmel	Blanchard	Edinburg	West Seboeis
Winterport	Orono	Clifton	Bowerbank	Enfield	Woodville
	Stillwater	Corinna	Bradford	Grand Falls	
	Veazie	Corinth	Brownville	Howland	
		Costigan	Charleston	Kingman Twp	
		Dixmont	Chesuncook Twp	Lee	
		E Eddington	Derby	Lincoln	
		Eddington	Dexter	Lowell	
		Etna	Dover-Foxcroft	Mattawamkeag	
		Exeter	Elliotsville	Maxfield	
		Glenburn	Garland	Passadumkeag	
		Greenbush	Greenville	Saponac	
		Greenfield	Guilford	Sebeis Plt	
		Hampden	Kingsbury	Springfield	
		Hampden Hights	Lagrange	Webster Plt	
		Hermon	Lakeview Plt	Winn	
		Holden	Medford		
		Hudson	Milo		
		Kenduskeag	Monson		
		Levant	Northeast Carry Twp		
		Milford	Onawa		
		Newburgh	Orneville Twp		
		Newport	Parkman		
		Olamon	Sangerville		
		Orrington	Sebec		
		Plymouth	Sebec Lake		
		Stetson	Sebec Sta		
			Shirley		

NORTHERN MAINE ECONOMIC SUMMARY DISTRICT				
NORTHERN MAIN HOULTON ESA Amity Bancroft Cary Plt. Danforth Eaton Forest City Glenwood Hammond Plt. Haynesville Hodgdon Houlton Linneus Littleton Ludlow Macwahoc Plt. Molunkus Twp. Monticello New Limerick	PATTEN ESA Benedicta Crystal Dyer Brook Hersey Island Falls Merrill Monarda Moro Plt. Mount Chase Oakfield Patten Sherman Shin Pond Silver Ridge Twp. Smyrna Smyrna Mills Stacyville	PRESQUE ISLE ESA Ashland Blaine Bridgewater Caribou Castle Hill Caswell Plt. Chapman Clayton Lake Connor Twp. Crouseville E Plt. Easton Ft. Fairfield Garfield Plt. Limestone Loring AFB Mapleton Mars Hill	MADAWASKA ESA Cyr Plt. Grand Isle Hamlin Keegan Lille Madawaska St. David Van Buren	FORT KENT ESA Allagash Eagle Lake Estcourt Sta. Frenchville Ft. Kent Guerette New Canada Plt. Plaisted Quimby Sinclair Soldier Pond St. Agatha St. Francis St. John Plt. Upper Frenchville Wallagrass Plt. Winterville Plt.
New Limerick Orient Reed Plt. Selden Weston Wytopitlock		Mars Hill Masardis Nashville Plt. Oxbow Plt. Perham Portage Lake Prentiss Plt. Presque Isle Robinston Sheridan Stockholm Wade Washburn Westfield Westmanland Plt. Woodland		

## **DEFINITIONS OF STORE-TYPE GROUPS**

Note: In Maine's sales tax system, codings are by store type, not product. Thus, each store is coded into one of the store-type groups below depending on its predominant product; i.e., furniture sold by a furniture store will be included in General Merchandise sales while furniture sold by a hardware store will be included in Building Supply sales.

1. Consumer Retail Sales	Taxable retail sales to consumers.
2. Total Retail Sales	Includes Consumer Retail Sales plus special types of business-to-business sales and rentals where the tax is paid directly by the buyer (such as commercial or industrial heating oil purchases).
3. Building Supply	Durable equipment sales, contractors' sales, hardware stores and lumber yards.
4. Food Stores	All food stores from large supermarkets to small corner food stores. The values here are snacks and non-food items, only, since food intended for home consumption is not taxed. For any geographic area, the taxable values shown will typically represent roughly 25% of actual store sales (since three-fourths of all food store sales are not taxed).
5. General Merchandise	In this group are department stores and stores carrying product lines typically found in department stores; including clothing stores, furniture stores, shoe stores, and home appliance stores.
6. Other Retail	This group includes a wide variety of store types not covered elsewhere, including drug stores, jewelry stores, sporting goods stores, antique dealers, book stores, photo supply stores, gift shops, etc.
7. Auto	This group includes all transportation-related stores, including auto dealers, auto parts stores, motorcycle shops, aircraft dealers, boat dealers, auto rental, etc.
8. Restaurants	Includes all stores selling food for immediate consumption.
9. Lodging	Includes hotels, motels, campgrounds, bed & breakfasts, etc.